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STRIKES AND FOOD RIOTS IN PORTUGAL: CAVALRY IN ACTION

RIOTS and industrial disturbances have been taking place in Portugal since Monday, Reuter cables from Lisbon, and cavalry have been employed to disperse angry crowds of strikers, who are demanding better distribution of food rather than higher wages.

The Government so far has refused to order the troops to fire on the saboteurs or demonstrators, and it is hoped, the message states, that a decree issued by the Government concerning mobilisation of industry will exert a soothing influence.

Strikers are to be mobilised into a labour corps, for national service under "hard conditions," and factories where strikes continue will be entirely closed unless they are essential to the national economy, it is stated.

According to the German News Agency, there have been tumultuous gatherings in the streets, looting, and wholesale arrests of strikers, who have been transferred to a fortress at the mouth of the Tagus. This message states:—"All cork, cement and artificial fertiliser factories on the river bank have closed down, and railway communications with the south have been interrupted as a result of the uncoupling of locomotives by the workers' women-folk." British-owned shipyards and cork factories are affected.

WOMEN LEAD

Women have taken the lead in the rioting in Lisbon and other parts of the country, according to the morning papers, which unexpectedly were allowed to come out with detailed accounts of the last three days' events, states an Associated Press cable, which says: When workers were asked why they were striking they answered, "We are earning enough, but what is the use of money if our wives cannot buy food for us?"

The police and military, it is stated, have received instructions to handle the situation "tactfully, but with necessary energy."

The gas supply failed yesterday in Lisbon, but armed guards are protecting electricity and telephone installations. Steps have been taken to assure the city's vital water supply and complete plans are ready to operate, if necessary with mobilised workers.

There has been comparatively little violence so far, a late message states, but attacks have been made at places where food is stored. Major Botelhoimoniz, who has been appointed to enforce industrial mobilisation, as an answer to the strikes, believes in firm, if not ruthless action.

"Hitler will be Cracked but he will be Tough"
—Mr. Morrison

MR HERBERT MORRISON, British Home Secretary, said at Woolwich yesterday:—"Let us not make the mistake of thinking that Hitler and Hitler's Nazi Germany are made of the same stuff as Mussolini and Mussolini's Fascist Italy. That will be a much harder job.

"The tragedy for Italy is that this man was permitted to seize power—he almost had it handed to him on a plate—and then to land his country into the sufferings in a needless war in a cause foreign to the best in Italian traditions.

BIG TASK

But we look forward, as the Prime Minister has made clear, to the time when Italy will again draw the breath of political freedom. We want to see freedom strike its roots deep into her stricken soil and flower in representative political bodies, and in such democratic institutions as a free trades union movement and a genuinely free Press—two of the greatest safeguards of liberty and progress in any country.

"We have not fought Fascism and overthrown it in order that it can come in again by the back door under some other name. Whatever name it used, a pro-Fascist, anti-democratic régime in Italy will always be a menace to the Italian people and the peace of Europe. And, by the way, let us not forget that there were men here strutting about in black shirts who would, if they had their way, have done for Britain what Mussolini did for Italy.

"But the big task is to beat the Germans, and our first demand upon Italy must be that she interpose no obstacle of any kind between us and our goal. For immediate purposes that must be the governing consideration in our dealings with her, whether those dealings are warlike or whatever form they take. Let us not make the mistake of thinking that Hitler and Hitler's Nazi Germany are made of the same stuff as Mussolini and Mussolini's Fascist Italy. Hitlerism has been, I fear, more natural to Germany, with its militarist traditions, than was Mussolini's militarism in relation to Italy's very different traditions. Let us put all we can into the war effort. Our people have done splendidly in the forces, in civil defence, in industry, they will go on doing so."

Anxiety About Cattle Trade With Britain

The declaration by a Conservative M.P., in the British Commons, that imports of Irish store cattle must be cut, "because Southern Ireland has not been helpful to us during the war," is making many Irish farmers anxious about the ready money which the sale of their stores brings every spring and early summer.

The slack season for stores has begun, and there is the usual falling-off in exports, but shipment figures at the peak period in spring were as high as in previous years, an *Irish Times* reporter learned yesterday from the Irish Livestock Exporters' and Traders' Association, Ltd. Just now dairy cattle are being sent to Britain in slightly greater numbers than for two or three years, and there is a large trade in bulls and heifers.

The Department of Agriculture has not yet commented on the future of the Irish store cattle trade.

Mr. McGovern to Meet Taoiseach

Mr. John McGovern, Independent Labour M.P. for Glasgow, will renew an acquaintance he made ten years ago when he meets Mr. de Valera in Government Buildings this morning.

He last met the Taoiseach when he came to this country as a representative of the Independent Labour Party to discuss the question of land annuities.

Grand Canal Charges to be Higher

An order of the Minister for Industry and Commerce authorises the Grand Canal Company to increase its maximum rates, tolls, dues and charges by approximately five per cent. This is because of the increased cost of operating the canal, and the necessity of supplementing the revenues of the company.

RED ARMY'S ADVANCE
Now 10 Miles from Orel

WITH the capture from the Germans of the station of Stanovoy Kolodez, on the Orel-Kursk Railway, General Rokossovsky's armies are now within ten miles of Orel on three of the four railway lines leading into the city, Reuter's Correspondent cables from Moscow.

According to the German News Agency, new mass attacks are expected in the Leningrad sector.

Stanovoy Kolodez, the last station but one on the Kursk line before Orel, was captured by crack Siberian troops, after a hard battle, lasting several days. Making their last stand in the station itself on Wednesday, the Germans launched many tank and infantry sallies in a desperate bid to throw back the Siberians, but they were overwhelmed, it is claimed.

North of Orel the Red Army's progress is held up by terrible weather conditions.

Cossack cavalry, more mobile than tanks in the present conditions, are now operating on this part, it is claimed.

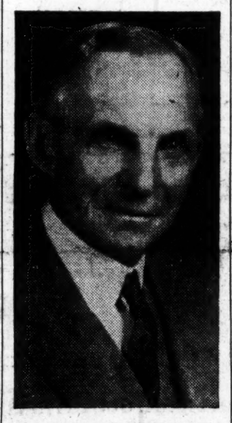
No further details of the fighting for the key railway station of Mga, 30 miles east of Leningrad, have been disclosed.

COMMUNIQUE

Last night's Soviet communiqué stated:—"During Thursday our troops in the Orel direction continued their offensive, and in some sectors advanced from five to 10 kilometres, and captured more than 40 inhabited localities. In the Byelgorod direction and in the Donetz Basin there was patrol activity. On the Leningrad front intensive reconnaissance activity and strong artillery fire continued."

Yesterday's German communiqué said:—"In several sectors of the Orel bend our troops were engaged in heavy defensive battles. All enemy attempts at a break-through were repulsed with considerable loss to the enemy.

"On the other sectors of the front the enemy launched only limited local attacks, which were repulsed."



Henry Ford, who is 80 to-day.

U.S. Attacks on Kiel Shipyards

It is announced by American Headquarters in Europe that American heavy bombers attacked U-boats and shipyards at Kiel, and the Heinkel aircraft factory at Warnemunde, in north-west Germany, yesterday, with good results. A considerable number of German fighters were destroyed by the heavy bombers, ten of which are missing.

This was the Americans' fifth big daylight raid on Germany in six days, writes a Press Association Air Correspondent. They last hit Warnemunde, which is near Rostock, on Sunday. Yesterday was the sixth successive day of the day and night Anglo-U.S. air assault which began on Saturday with the Fortress attack on the naval base at Trondheim.

A later British Air Ministry and American Headquarters announcement said that fairly strong fighter opposition was encountered by the unescorted Fortresses at Kiel, but there was little opposition at Warnemunde. Preliminary claims total more than thirty German fighters destroyed by the bombers. The operations were supported by U.S. Army Air Force Thunderbolts and by R.A.F. Dominion and Allied Spitfires. Three Axis fighters were destroyed by Spitfires of a Royal Canadian Air Force squadron.

Yesterday evening Bostons and Typhoon bombers attacked a power station near Rouen and the airfield at Merville, and U.S. Army Air Force medium bombers attacked the airfield at Fort Rouge, near St. Omer.

Spitfire pilots of Fighter Command destroyed three German aircraft over Holland yesterday in a sweep which took them beyond Amsterdam, states the British Air Ministry News Service.

FOUR DOWN

Four Blohm and Voss three-engined reconnaissance flying boats fell victims to the guns of patrolling British 'planes on Wednesday. Two were shot down by a Canadian Beaufighter squadron of Coastal Command, and the two others fell to Martlet fighter aircraft of the Royal Navy.

Senate Nominations

The Senate Returning Officer has received the following additional nominations for the Senate elections to the Dáil sub-Panel:—

Labour Panel — Mrs. Johanna Hurley, Turner's Cross, Cork, widow; J. M. Casey, Limerick, printer; T. Farren, Dublin, trade union secretary; Senator T. Foran, Clontarf, Dublin; M. Kilmartin, Co. Kildare, salesman; J. T. O'Farrell, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin, trade union secretary.

Industrial and Commercial Panel—L. J. Duffy, Dun Laoghaire, secretary.

Administrative Panel — Dr. J. Hannigan, Rathgar, Dublin.

Eisenhower's Offer to Italians

PEACE AND RETURN OF PRISONERS

A DRAMATIC message offering peace was addressed yesterday to the Italian people by General Eisenhower, Allied Commander-in-Chief.

Italy, he stated, could have an honourable peace immediately if she ceased assistance to Germany. Italian war prisoners would be returned to their homes and the Allied occupation would be mild and beneficent.

Rome radio stated last night that a "so-called honourable surrender" was logically absurd for a country which had fought with valour.

"Unfounded" Report

Vichy radio reported that the French Government had been advised by the Italian authorities that rumours that Italians were about to cease hostilities were unfounded.

"Greatest Obstacle" Gone

Following is the text of General Eisenhower's message:—

"To the Italian people.

"We commend the Italian people and the House of Savoy on ridding themselves of Mussolini, the man who involved them in war as the tool of Hitler and brought them to the verge of disaster.

"The greatest obstacle which divided the Italian people from the United Nations has been removed by the Italians themselves. The only remaining obstacle on the road to peace is the German aggressor, who is still on Italian soil.

"You want peace. You can have peace immediately, and peace under the honourable conditions which our Governments have already offered you. We are coming as liberators.

"Your part is to cease immediately any assistance to the German military forces in your country. If you do this we will rid you of the Germans and deliver you from the horrors of war. As you have already seen in Sicily, our occupation will be mild and beneficent.

NORMAL LIFE

"Your men will return to their normal life and to their productive vocations, and, provided all British and Allied prisoners now in your hands are restored safely to us and not taken away to Germany, the hundreds of thousands of Italian prisoners captured by us in Tunisia and Sicily will return to the countless Italian homes who long for them.

"The ancient liberties and traditions of your country will be restored.

"EISENHOWER."

A White House spokesman stated in Washington last night that General Eisenhower's "honourable terms" are the same as President Roosevelt's "unconditional surrender." "The terms embodied in unconditional surrender," he said, "are honourable. There's no incompatibility between these terms. It is no dishonour for a soldier to surrender."

German Radio stated last night that yesterday's meeting of the new Italian Cabinet, under Marshal Badoglio, decided that Italy's foreign policy would remain unchanged. The German report added: "The internal administration of Italy will continue on the basis of what has already been achieved and created, and progress will be along these lines."

RADIO REPLY

Rome Radio, broadcasting in English last night, said:—"A so-called honourable surrender—a contradiction in terms—is logically absurd for a country which has fought with valour and been recognised by all her adversaries—not those of radio and Press, but those met on the battlefield.

"Britain wants a Carthaginian peace. After such a peace, says Churchill, Italy will be allowed to resume her place among the European States. Perhaps he meant a place in a prison cell.

"The change-over from Mussolini to Badoglio was not a revolution or a *coup d'état*. It was perfectly constitutional. Over the frontier they are spying out for signs of Italy's weakening, relying on our internal divisions for an easy conquest. These hopes are vain. The change of Government means the very opposite of what they reckoned on.

"Italy can make only one answer—to go on fighting."

According to the German Overseas News Agency, a strict censorship of the Italian Press has been restored, and papers are forbidden to print any comment on the political past or on the continuation of the war.

The Cabinet has promised to speed up the release of political prisoners. But the Italian people were warned by radio that it was useless to expect the restoration of liberal institutions while Italy was still at war, and that the new Government was "above politics."

DISMISSALS

Rome radio said last night that a royal decree announces the dismissal of a large number of Prefects. Among those dismissed are the Prefects of Milan, Turin, Brescia, Trieste, Gorizia, Como, Ancona, Potenza, Reggio, Calabria, Venice, Vicenza, Vittoria, Udine, and the Sicilian towns of Catania and Palermo.

Guariglia, the new Italian Foreign Minister, arrived in Rome by air from Turkey yesterday.

Referring to Eisenhower's allusion to prisoners, Reuter's military correspondent states that about 70,000 Italians were captured in Tunisia. Over 70,000 Axis troops have already been taken in Sicily. Half a million Italians were captured in North Africa. The correspondent says that Eisenhower's offer affects 115,000 Italian prisoners.

The situation is under constant examination in London, and contact is being maintained with Washington and Moscow.

"Strong Convoy" —Says Berlin

THE German Overseas News Service quotes a La Linea report that a "strong convoy" of 75 Allied ships, including tankers, freighters and troopships, passed the Straits in the direction of the Mediterranean yesterday morning.—(Reuter.)

Big Majority for Smuts' Government

General Smuts said yesterday in Cape Town that the South African general election results indicate clearly that the people endorsed the Government's war policy by an overwhelming majority. The voting showed that the people were determined to carry on regardless of hardship or sacrifice.

Latest returns give the General Smuts pro-war parties 107 seats, against 39 for the anti-war opposition.

General Smuts, 73-years-old Prime Minister, was re-elected at Standerton, with a majority of 992, or 676 less than at the 1938 elections. All the members of his Cabinet retained their seats.

The Government gains in two typically rural constituencies Nationalist for many years—Malmesbury in Cape Province and Zoutpansberg in the Transvaal—are regarded as specially significant as indicating strong rural support for pro-war policy.

Candidates of the Afrikander Party—the remnant of the late General Hertzog's party, which is Republican and favours isolationist policy for South Africa—are faring badly. Dr. Hauenga, leader of the Party, and General Conroy were defeated. In Natal the Nationalists lost all 16 seats.

The position of the parties late this morning was:—

United Party, 86; Labour, 9; Dominion, 7; Pro-war Independents, 2; Native Representatives, 3. Total for war coalition supporting General Smuts, 107.

Total for National Party, 39.—(Reuter.)

DUBLIN FIRE SERVICE
Plans for Development

THE provision of a modern fire communications system — including new street fire alarms —is included in the post-war reorganisation plans of the Dublin Fire Department.

"It is not adequately realised," states the Department's annual report, "the handicap placed upon the service by the lack of these communications, and especially the lack of internal communications and alarm systems within the stations." Modern systems are elaborate and mainly automatic. In Dublin what might be called "backstage" control of fire-fighting operations is made much more difficult, and the possibility of personal error is ever present. The report adds that as such systems are being altered and improved as a result of war experience, the delay will probably benefit Dublin. The modernising of city fire stations is also on the programme.

CARELESSNESS

The number of fires caused by the carelessly thrown away light has increased by 50 per cent., 160 of the year's fires having being reasonably traced to this cause. Defective or dirty flues topped the "flame" list at 225 fires out of the total of 527 classified for cause.

Children at play started 10 fires; incendiarists, 2; 3 were due to spontaneous combustion. Defective hearths were responsible for 26, and they, along with flue fires, are traceable to the use of turf and wood fuel. Turf ash left in unsuitable containers also caused many outbreaks.

Moral and discipline, states the report, remain good, only one disciplinary offence occurring during the year. Union difficulties have been eased by the passing of the Trades Union Act, which has brought the majority of the *personnel* into only two different unions.

TOTAL COST

The total cost of the whole-time and auxiliary fire services during the year was £9,400, while the regular Fire Brigade's expenditure was £47,500, of which the accident ambulance service accounted for £4,000. Total calls responded to numbered 746, an increase of 217 over the previous year. Fire damage to insured property within the city was assessed at £122,070, the total property directly at risk in the fires concerned amounting to £1,823,432. Only one life was lost at a fire which the Brigade attended, and 2 further lives were lost when the Brigade was called to a house where a gas leak had occurred. *Personnel* sustained no serious injuries.

Ambulance removals totalled 5,266, an increase of 662 over last year's figure, and the highest ever recorded. The increase is stated to have been continuous and cumulative since 1939, and it is hoped that extra men and equipment will be provided in the next financial year.

Reason for Property Inflation

IRISH investment money in large quantities is impatiently tugging at purse-strings in the hope of getting into circulation again, but its owners are holding out determinedly for bricks and mortar in preference to industrial securities.

Unfortunately bricks and mortar are not on offer in sufficient volume to give the available money full play, and occasionally, in consequence, when the money does get loose, it moves in heavy bulk. This is why the property market in Dublin is at once so quiet and yet so vigorous, and also why residential and investment property have become almost gilt-edged opportunities even at peak values.

Auctioneers and valuers are not a bit excited about the high prices now being readily paid for houses of all descriptions. They say that people are "staying put" during the war, and there no longer is the flow of movement which kept the property market exceedingly busy. Houses for sale have slumped badly, and sale for houses has become an acute money problem. And the bull is likely to remain in the market for many years, having regard both to the experience of the post-Great War period and the fact that building materials will be required in such vast quantities abroad at the end of hostilities that it is unlikely operations in this country will get into swing for a considerable time after hostilities have ceased.

WHO BUYS?

"Who buys houses nowadays?" asked an *Irish Times* reporter. "Everybody who can," was the prompt answer, "and especially those who can pay the highest price." And highest prices to-day represent an increase of about 30 per cent. on those of a year ago, producing, on an average, a return of a gross 7 per cent. or a net four per cent. on investment transactions. "Women, as well as men, are potential buyers." Values have been inflated to such an extent that recently a city house, expected to fetch about £2,500, went to £4,500. That, however, is but an example, and is not to be taken as a general indication. Actually houses which were worth £600 or £700 before the war now are worth up to £1,200, and the most sought after property is the range between £1,000 and £1,800.

GROUND RENTS

Before the war house-buying was not regarded as an attractive proposition, but with the greater flow of money people have gone back to solid buying. Ground rents, also, are a much sought after investment. They were bought a few years ago at anything from 12 to 16 years' purchase; to-day they run from 15 to 22 years' purchase. There is a heavy run on residential holdings of from 50 to 100 acres within 20 miles of the city. It is attributed to the newly-developed competition between the professional and commercial buyer and the purely farming interest. City people with money are seeking country houses, because a bit of land attached is a paying proposition with guaranteed prices. That sort of holding used to be about £30 an acre; it has now run up to £50 in the home counties.

ENGINEER'S STORY OF FLYING-BOAT CRASH IN KERRY

AN inquest on the bodies of ten victims of the British Overseas Airways flying boat crash at Brandon Mountain, Gastlegregory, Co. Kerry, on Wednesday morning, was opened by the Coroner, Dr. Sheehan, yesterday, at the Tralee Hospital, and adjourned, after some evidence had been taken. Fifteen men remain in hospital.

The names of the identified victims were given last night at the inquest at the hospital as: Mr. Hartigan, of Nairobi; Kenneth Joseph Devall, of Dudley North, Birmingham; Thomas Allitt, captain and pilot; Max A. Roth; Louis Milner, manager of E. W. Tarri and Co., Simon street, Johannesburg. Another man, Alfred Lumby, 23 Gipsy lane, Headington, Oxford, died at the hospital.

Four bodies have not yet been identified.

The names of the injured in hospital, with addresses so far available, are:—Roy Bertram, of Woodside, Brighton; Eric Vincent, India avenue, Salisbury, Wilts.; Victor Rawlinson, Commercial road, Parkstone, Dorset; Leonard King (22), of Moffatt road, Maidenhead; John Slater, of Rockwell, Bristol; Frederick Brojer, Oliver Frith, Victor Symmonds, Raymond Larch, Lloyd G. French, Thomas Thompson, Fred Parr, Charles Phillips, Ralph Lawes, and William S. Hebden.

The story of the crash was told by Ralph Lawes, the second engineer. When the 'plane struck the side of the mountain at Slieve Glass, in the Brandon region, Lawes said he entered the mail compartment and pulled himself through an escape hatch, and then climbed along a wing of the 'plane, which was by then fully ablaze, to drop to the ground. With other injured men, he did what he could to assist those who had not escaped, and he helped out the First Officer, John Slater, who was trying to extricate himself from the front of the machine.

Victor Rawlinson, the First Engineer, and a passenger, Leonard King, staggered down the mountainside for four miles before, in the breaking light, they found a house. The whole household turned out to their aid, having sent one of their members for a doctor. Police, troops, ambulance workers and other helpers were summoned, and the injured and dead were carried down the mountain side. The first doctor to arrive had travelled 12 miles from Dingle, on the other side of the mountainous peninsula. The injured had to be conveyed nearly twice that distance to the County Hospital at Tralee.

Mr. Hartigan was a member of the well-known Limerick family. His grandfather, Dr. Hartigan, lived at Tarbrook, Croom.

Yvonne Dionne christens one of five cargo ships built in the U.S. and sponsored by the famous Canadian quintuplets. Mr. and Mrs. Dionne (behind the girls) and officials watch the launching. The ships are named for the captains of early American frigates.

Continuation Schools in Cork

Youths who came back from their secondary schools to settle in rural areas were discontented, disgruntled and seldom, if ever, became an integral part of rural life, said Mr. M. M. Gleeson, M.A., Director of Comhairle Le Beas Oige, when addressing Muintir Na Tire delegates and visitors in Cork yesterday. "No one," he said, "who has had adequate opportunity for comparing boys and girls who have been left at 14 to find their own way to manhood and womanhood with other boys and girls who have been members of the one day a week continuation schools in Cork can have any doubt of the benefits conferred on the latter." "The Unemployment Problem" was discussed by representatives of Limerick Associate Guild of Muintir Na Tire.

Pope's £5,000 Gift to Malta

The Pope has forwarded £5,000 to the Archbishop of Malta for the relief of war victims on the island, says Reuter. Last March the Pope sent a similar sum for the reconstruction of Maltese churches damaged in air raids.

An announcement of a diplomatic re-shuffle in Rumania is imminent, says the Italian News Agency. New appointments are expected as Ministers at the Vatican, Berne, Stockholm and Ankara. It added: "This re-shuffle has no political character."—(Reuter.)

Escaped Prisoner had Revolver

James Steele (34), of North Queen street, Belfast, who escaped from Crumlin Road Jail, Belfast, on January 15, with three companions, including Hugh McAteer, described as Chief of Staff of an illegal organisation refused to plead when he appeared at Belfast City Commission yesterday on a charge of having in his possession a revolver and ammunition on May 28.

Evidence was given of Steele's arrest on May 28 in the yard of a house. At the barracks a sketch plan was found on Steele of the locality in which [illegible] P. Murphy was murdered on April 5, 1942, and the names of the six persons convicted for that murder. Steele had a N.F.S. warrant card with a photograph of himself in the name of James Lockhart. In reply to Steele, a police witness said that the accused man was in prison at the time of the shooting of Constable Murphy.

Steele was found guilty and put back.

While the jury were considering their verdict, Lord Justice Murphy drew attention to the fact that the National Fire Service warrant in the name James Lookhart had been signed by an officer whose name he need not mention, Mr. E. S. Warnock, Crown Counsel, said the matter was being investigated. His lordship said that in another case where two men had been convicted similar warrants had been produced purporting to be signed by the same officer. It was obviously a matter of great public importance, and he thought it essential that the documents should go to the Attorney-General.

ALLIES ADVANCE AS GERMANS GIVE UP NICOSIA
Four-fifths of Sicily Now Occupied

THE Germans have evacuated Nicosia, key to the Axis north-south communications in Eastern Sicily. This was announced last night by the German News Agency, which stated that the evacuation had been made according to plan to shorten the Axis line.

The capture of several more towns in north-eastern Sicily had been announced earlier. They included Gangi, nine miles north-east of Nicosia. This place was occupied by the Americans, while Canadian troops, by storming and capturing Leonforte, opened the way to the capture of Agira.

Nicosia, a town of some 12,519 inhabitants, is an important road junction, and its capture threatens German communications in the whole triangle.

75,000 TAKEN

The Allied forces have now taken 75,000 prisoners, it was officially announced last night. Approximately three-fourths of them have been captured by the Americans.

Following up their pursuit of the Germans along the north coast, the Americans have occupied Pollina and Castelbuono, respectively, some eight and nine miles south-east of Cefalu. The whole American line has thus been straightened out, and General Patton's forces are now running into the main German defences. Bitter fighting is expected to develop along the line.

The great concentration of 13 aerodromes at Gerbini, west of Catania, now lies south of one sector of the Allied front. The Germans are still covering some of the landing grounds with accurate shell-fire.

German resistance all along the front is officially described as extremely stubborn. The Canadians, who are fighting under the command of the Eighth Army, are meeting with bitter resistance.

There is still no news from the Eighth Army. Intensive mining and demolitions have been encountered all along the north of the Dittaino River, and the Eighth Army is facing one of its toughest tasks in getting through to Catania. Casualties suffered by the Axis have been extremely heavy.

AIR SUPPLIES

Catania harbour is now useless as a result of Allied bombing, and the Germans are apparently being supplied from the air.

It was officially stated yesterday that the Axis has been denied the use of their Sicily aerodromes. The only landing available to them is the narrowing area on the Messina bridgehead.

Air support being given to the Allied armies is on a considerable scale.

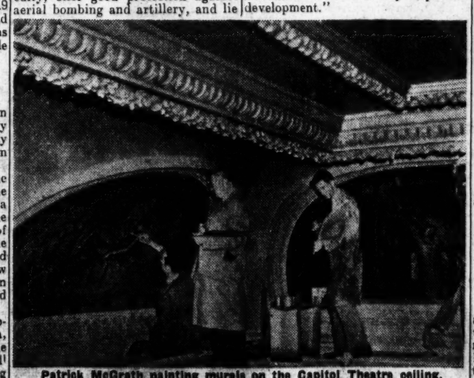
The German News Agency last night said that Allied troops in the sea Sicily had been brought to a standstill before the Axis strong line.

Referring to the evacuation of Nicosia, the radio said: "The German-Italian defenders on this area now hold only steep hillsides which can be reached only with great difficulty, offer good protection against aerial bombing and artillery, and lie across the road of the attacking force."

A front-line reporter, quoted by the German News Service, said: "Montgomery's artillery fired 16,000 shells in a single two-hour concentrated barrage on a 550 yards broad sector of the central Catania front."

Mr. Robert Patterson, U.S. Acting Secretary for War, stated in Washington yesterday: "It is clear that the Battle of Sicily has entered its final phase and that the conquest should be completed in a short time—it ought not to be more than a matter of a few days." The Allies now controlled four-fifths of Sicily. The Seventh Army was moving eastwards and threatened to outflank the Axis in the north-east.

"The heavy superiority the Axis had in fire power and arms is gone now," he said, "and has passed to our side. This is a very important development."



Patrick McGrath painting murals on the Capitol Theatre ceiling.

U-Boats Sunk in Atlantic

A British Admiralty communiqué last night described the recent sinking of two U-boats in the North Atlantic by an escort group of sloops of the Royal Navy, under the command of Captain F. J. Walker, D.S.O., R.N., in H.M.S. Starling.

It states that one of several U-boats attacked by the Starling with depth charges was evidently blown to the surface one hundred yards astern of the sloop, and started to go slow ahead. Escort ships opened fire on it, and the Starling rammed it abreast of the conning tower. It was seen to pass under the sloop, and when further depth charges were dropped floating wreckage of German origin was picked up.

The second U-boat was detected later the same day, and was attacked by three ships of the escort. The final attack apparently caused the U-boat to disintegrate, and later great quantities of oil and much wreckage floated to the surface of the sea.

Air Transport Through Foynes

The daily flow through Foynes after the war of n... of world importance should be made use of by the Tourist Board, said Mr. William Quinlan, County Manager, Kerry, speaking at the Muintir na Tire Rural Week last night in Cork, on "Tourist Trade in Ireland." Invaluable contacts from a publicity point of view would be available there, he said. Newspaper proprietors, presidents of radio corporations and other such influential men would be landing on our shores. These men should be met by a representative of the Tourist Board. If a pavilion were set up at Foynes, where the Tourist representative could receive these important guests and aid them in such matters as priority telephone calls, motor cars and other facilities, it would be well worth the expense.

Ireland would become the natural jumping-off place between the old and the new world. Airfields would be required in suitable places, especially near the ports of call.

The New Fireside Chair

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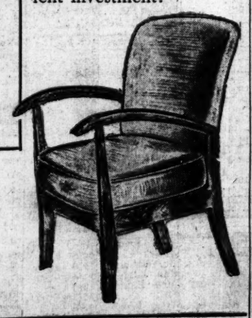

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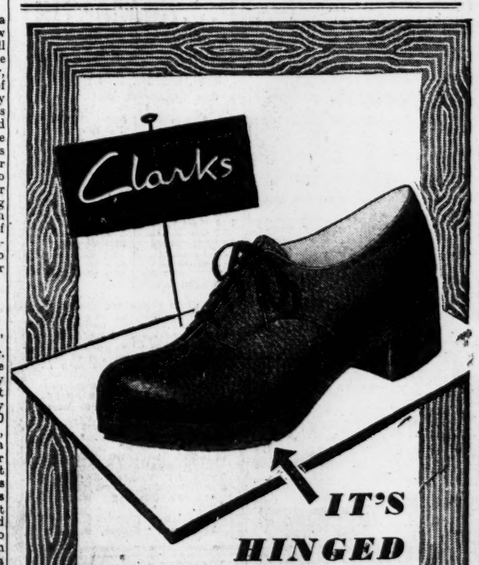

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Erinox Wins Hurdle

IT was an all-Kilkenny victory yesterday in the Galway Hurdle, which was won in decisive manner by Erinox from Smuts, with the favourite, Ballynure, filling third place. Ballynure had bad luck, as his rider lost an iron coming up the hill, but he might not have beaten the winner in any case. Trained at Gowran, Erinox is owned by Mr. J. C. Landy, a Kilkenny man, who is interested in the meat canning industry.

The victory of Erinox ended a long spell of ill-luck experienced by John Kirwan, whose first winner of the Galway Hurdle Erinox is, though he has had horses placed in it on a dozen occasions.

The attendance was again up on that of last year, and the racing more exciting than that on the first day.

Only a neck divided Foam Crest and Maritime Law in the King's Plate, which Maritime Law got on an objection for bumping and crossing. An appeal to the Turf Club Stewards has been lodged. There was another objection in the Atlantic Plate by the rider of Night Flight for crossing, but this was overruled.

2.0—**CORRIB HURDLE**, £100. 1½ m.
Lexamine, b. c. by Within the Law—
Calamine (Mr. T. McD. Kelly), 5, 10-12 ..... (Mr. M. J. Tully)
Seventh Son, 5, 10-12 ..... P. Sherry 2
Highland Chieftain, 5, 11-3 ..... E. Kennedy 3
Matray, 11-7 (J. McElroy); Clonker, 11-12 (Mr. L. McMorrow); Clonbur, 11-3 (H. Hafey); Fair Trick, 10-7 (M. Gordon); T. O'Rourke, 10-7.

5/4 Clonker, 5/2 Fair Trick, 6/1 Seventh Son, 8/1 Clonbur, 100/7 LEXAMINE, Highland Chief and Matray. Tote, places 5/6, 6/-. 14/-; 4l. Fair Trick 4, Clonbur 5.

2.30—**GALWAY BLAZERS' CHASE**, £100. 2 m. 5 f. 60 yds.
Black Mass, bl. g. by Embargo—
Liberty Belle (M. J. Purcell), a. 9-8 ..... M. Gordon 1
St. Donavira, a. 9-10 ..... Mr. Browne 2
Cabin Fire, a. 10-7 ..... Hyde 3
Brown Joker, 9-7 ..... (P. Sherry); Hush Tommy, 9-12 (J. Nagle), Owner.

4/7 Cabin Fire, 5/1 Hush Tommy, 6/1 Brown Joker, 7/1 BLACK MASS, 8/1 St. Donavira. Tote, 1/-; places 9/-. 9/6. 5/-; 2l. Hush Tommy 2.

3.30—**GALWAY HURDLE**, £300. 2 m. **Erinox**, ch. g. by Lustarus—Flower of Finnea (Mr. J. C. Landy), 5, 12-7 ..... J. P. Maguire 1
Smuts, a. 9-11 ..... T. McNeil 2
Ballynure, a. 10-8 ..... A. Brabazon 3
Point, 12-7 (J. Lenahan); Beakstown, 11-10 (E. Kennedy); Golspie, 10-7 (W. O'Grady); Cockasnook, 10-1 (Mr. McElroy); Crafty Prince, 10-0 (J. Brogan); Athlone Calling, 10-0 (T. Hyde); Bluster, 9-10 (R. Cartwright), J. Kirwan.

9/4 Ballynure, 4/1 Point d'Atout and Golspie, 10/1 ERINOX and Crafty Prince, 100/7 Smuts, 20/1 others. Tote, 27/6; places 5/6, 5/6, 4/-.

Cockasnook led from Beakstown, Point d'Atout, Crafty Prince, Golspie and Bluster, with Smuts last, but passing the stands the order was Beakstown, Erinox, Cockasnook, Golspie and Crafty Prince with Athlone Calling at the head of the others. Six furlongs from home, Ballynure went to the front, followed by Smuts, who had made up ground; Erinox and Golspie. Coming up the hill, Erinox headed Ballynure and resisted the challenges of Smuts and the favourite to win by 1½l.; 4l. Crafty Prince 4, Point d'Atout 5, Golspie 6, Beakstown 7, Cockasnook 8.

3.45—**HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE**, 100 gns. 2 m.
Maritime Law, gr. c. by Portlaw—
Maid of the Sea (Mr. J. P. Maher), 4, 8-13 ..... G. Wells 1
Foam Crest, 4, 9-4 ..... A. Brabazon disq.
T. W. Dreaper, Maritime Law. Tote, 5/6. Foam Crest finished first, a neck in front, but an objection for bumping and crossing was sustained, and the race awarded to

4.15—**RENMORE 'CHASE**, £100. 2m. 2f.
Mount Brown, b. or br. g. by Brown Jester—Pillion Girl (Mr. T. McD. Kelly), a. 11-3 ..... H. Harty 1
Manchurian, 6, 11-3 ..... C. Graham 2
Rockleon, 11-3 (M. Gordon); Hamlet, 11-12 (J. Brogan) (fell); First Impression, 11-3 (N. Mooney), Owner.

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4.45—**ORANMORE H'CAP.**, £100. 1½m.
Glengormley, br. g. by Golden Chalice—Snowy Glen (Sir T. Dixon), a. 10-13 ..... A. Brabazon 1
Scottish Welcome, 5, 11-0 ..... Mrs. D. O'Hagan 2
Mel's Battle, 6, 10-1 ..... Mr. L. McMorrow 3
Camerlone, 11-4 (Mr. M. A. Byrne); Bell Boy II., 10-7 (Mr. R. J. Hoey); Green Star, 10-5 (Mr. H. G. Surman); Brabazon.

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5.15—**ATLANTIC PLATE**, £100. 1m. 170yds.
Eagle's Home, b. c. by Almaska—
Eagle's Flight (Mr. J. Kirwan), 4, 9-7 ..... P. Farrell 1
Night Flight, 3, 8-2 ..... E. Newman 3
Irish Love, 5, 8-11 ..... Conplet, 9-2 (J. Ussher); Jim's Gift, 9-2 (E. Kennedy), Owner.

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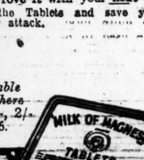

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JUBILEE SWIMMING GALA

THE Irish Amateur Swimming Association was founded in 1893, so this is its jubilee year, and fittingly enough, entries for the third Irish championship gala, at Blackrock Baths to-morrow and Monday have shown a decided increase. Swimmers will be coming from North and South to challenge the home contingent, and it is probable that in the men's events the Northern competitors will repeat their success of last year, when they almost swept the boards.

E. McCartney, the most brilliant free-style swimmer we have ever produced, who smashed the records in the 100, 220 and 440 yards twelve months ago, will be defending his title. He is likely to receive strong opposition this time from another Belfast man, W. J. A. Lowry, who has been training exceptionally hard, and if close finishes are forthcoming in the free-style events the records so recently put up will be in danger.

There is an entry of ten for the 100 yards free-style, McCartney, Lowry, W. McClatchie, J. Gray and R. Gilliland from Ulster; P. G. Condon (North Dublin), W. Ashmore (Sandycove), Lts. H. O'Neill and J. Coffey (Curragh) and W. J. O'Brien (Dolphin, Cork). Last year O'Neill stretched McCartney all the way, and, considering the exceptionally fast time, he must be in the race with a good chance on this occasion. Another big entry is in the men's 440 yards free-style, for which heats will be necessary.

Interest will be added to the women's events by the reappearance of Mrs. R. Mitchell, the outstanding Dublin swimmer two years ago, who did not compete last year. In the Pembroke Club's 220 yards championship a few days ago, Mrs. Mitchell was first, Miss Margot Beckett second, and the joint Irish champion, Miss H. Dagg, third. Miss Beckett, a daughter of the former swimming champion and water polo international, Dr. Jim Beckett, is living up to the family tradition, and is extremely promising. She is in the field for the 100 yards free-style. Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Dagg should have some keen duels, while there is also Miss Bill, from Belfast, who deadheated with Miss Dagg for the 220 yards title.

The gala will commence at 6.45 to-morrow evening, and the programme is as follows:—Men's 100 yards free-style and back-stroke, 440 yards heats and final, and spring-board diving; women's 100 yards back-stroke, 440 yards, diving championship and squadron drill. There will be also a junior water polo interprovincial between Ulster and Munster.

On Monday the gala will be resumed at 11 o'clock in the morning, and included in that programme will be the men's squadron championship, for which it is to mark the association's jubilee has been presented by Mr. Hugh McAleevy, of Belfast.

Pembroke S.C.—To-night, at Blackrock, 100 metres handicap (War Memorial Cup). 100 Metres Handicap: G. Ferguson, 1; F. Snow, 2; N. Latchford, 3. 95 secs.

THE NON-PROTECTION OF GAME

Mr. J. D. Mitchell, 30 South Frederick street, Dublin, writes:—

Ireland is, or could be, as everyone will admit, a sportsman's paradise; but, so far as shooting is concerned, nothing is done to destroy vermin. By nothing, I mean nothing in comparison to the revenue received by the Government. My figures may be slightly inaccurate, but I understand at least £30,000 is paid for game licences, of which the Irish Game Protection Association receives a grant of £500, and, so far as I know, only syndicates receive the protection of game from vermin, whereas the veritable breeding grounds, of which I know Connemara, the Shannon country, and County Clare, are left to those few who can afford to rear the game proper.

The poacher has been, and is, blamed for a great deal more than he deserves, and the hawk, carrion crow and weasel, especially the second named, are allowed to breed *ad lib.* I suggest the vermin should be prosecuted a great deal more often by the Association and the Government. The sportsman would like to know also—what is being done with his £2?

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525 YDS.—Eblin Doon Og (5), 5/4, 1; Camon (4), 5/1, 2; Find the Bone (4), 2/1, 3; Amos Star (3), 7/2, 4; Meldash (2), 6/1, 5. 6l.; ½l. 30.95. Owner (Mr. P. O'Cuinneain).

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500 YDS.—Pocket Edition (2), 3/1, 1; Quality Alone (3), 5/2, 2; Coolock Lady (4), 7/1, 3; Ruby Lady (5), 4/1, 4; Popular Meteor (6), 5/2, 5; Cron Meadow (1), 7/1, 6. 2l.; 4l. 29.52. Owner (Mrs. J Dempsey).

525 YDS.—Lackafun (2), 2/1, 1; Rebel Guy (4), 5/1, 2; Lisdoon Breeze (6), 10

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

JONES—July 26, 1943, at Lisieux, Herbert place, to Maureen (née McGrath), wife of Gwilym Jones, "Fintragh," Butterfield avenue, Rathfarnham, a daughter (Elizabeth Ann).

PHILLIPS—July 26, 1943, at Stella Maris, Earlsfort terrace, to Doreen, wife of Alfred Phillips, Ulatree Deas-Valetta, Dargle road, Bray, a son.

MARRIAGES.

GOUGH and IRWIN—July 3, 1943, at Balteagh Presbyterian Church, Limavady, by Rev. R. J. Sloan; Harold, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gough, Gilford, Co. Down, to Eileen Mary, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Irwin, Glen Mills, Limavady, Co. Londonderry.

KEOHANE and O'SHEA—June 23, 1943, at St. Mary's Church, Cahir, Co. Tipperary (with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing), by Rt. Rev. Monsignor Byrne, P.P., V.G., Clonmel, assisted by Very Rev. Canon Crotty, P.P., Cahir; Very Rev. J. Canon Ryan, St. Ketran's College, Kilkenny; Rev. K. Purcell, C.C., Castlecomer; Very Rev. Fr. Leopold, O.F.M., and Rev. Fr. Benedict, O.F.M., Clonmel; Kevin G. Keohane, Solicitor, Castlecomer, Co. Kilkenny, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keohane, 50 St. Helen's road, Booterstown, Dublin, to Margaret (Dolly) O'Shea, younger daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew O'Shea, Peace Grove, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

DEATHS.

DWYER—July 23, 1943, at a Bournemouth nursing home, Rachel Evelyn, wife of Hugh Dwyer, and third daughter of the late Percy and Annie Magan, Bessbrook, Co. Armagh, Freemon, after a long illness, borne with great courage.

HOLLINGSWORTH—July 23, 1943, at a Dublin hospital, James Earnest, youngest son of the late Dr. John Hollingsworth, of Essex, beloved husband of Marion J. Hollingsworth, 57 Edenvale road, Rathgar. Deeply regretted. Funeral private.

LAMB—July 27, 1943, at 135 South Circular road, Islandbridge, William David, second son of William and Annie Lamb, of 17 St. Anthony's road, Rialto. Deeply regretted. Funeral took place yesterday, Tuesday, July 27th, after Service at St. Jude's Church, to Mount Jerome Cemetery.

PARKER—July 29, 1943, at the Royal Hospital, Donnybrook, in her 75th year, Elizabeth, elder daughter of Joseph and Anne Parker, Dundalk, nurse, and for over forty years dear friend of the Balfaugh family. "With Christ, which is far better."

SHACKLETON—July 29, 1943, Alice Sarah, beloved wife of Dr. Shackleton, Fairfield, Donnybrook, after two days' illness. "With Christ."

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 3.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

McLEISH—The wife and son of the late James McLeish, Straffan, Co. Kildare, wish to return sincere thanks for all kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement. Trusts this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgmentthe.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALLEN—In loving remembrance of Charles Bovair'd Allen, who entered into Rest on the 30th of July, 1938.

DAVEY—In loving memory of our dear son, John Cyril Davey, Middlesex Regiment, who died (the result of an accident) 30th July, 1942.

GETHINGS—In everlasting memory of my darling son, Geoffrey Ronald (Ronnie) Gethings, who lost his life on 30th July, 1942. Sadly missed.

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On that radiant, happy shore.
Past the pains, the pangs and partings,
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GETHINGS—In affectionate remembrance of Geoffrey Ronald (Ronnie) Gethings, 30th July, 1942.

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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
VIOLET GEORGINA MASSY, late of Ingleneetta, Annacrevy, Bray, Co. Wicklow, Spinster, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise having any claim against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 18th day of February, 1943, are required, on or before the 1st day of September, 1943, to furnish (in writing) particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator, to whom Administration, with Will annexed, was granted on the 6th day of July, 1943, forth of the High Court of Justice (Principal Probate Registry) in Eire.
AND NOTICE is hereby further given that after the said 1st day of September, 1943, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to such claims of which particulars have been received.
Dated this 22nd day of July, 1943.
ANDERSON & BLANEY, Solicitors,
18, Stephen's Green, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
JANE GRIFFIN, late of Ballinderrin, Enfield, County Meath, Spinster, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict. Cap. 35, that all persons having claims against the estate of this Deceased, who died on the 25th April, 1943, are to furnish to the undersigned particulars thereof before the 20th September, 1943, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, Denis Gerard Victor Griffin, to whom Probate was granted on 14th July, 1943, out of the Principal Registry, and the assets will be distributed without regard to claims not notified.
Dated 27th day of July, 1943.
THOMAS GERRARD & CO., Solicitors, 25 Westmoreland St., Dublin.

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COMPANION Help, Greystones; all duties. family of 2, easily run all electric house; please state age, experience, salary and copies of refs. Box Y 538.
CITY Shorthand-Typist require a competent Shorthand-Typist none but experienced applicants will be considered. Reply, giving full particulars, state age, salary required, and enclose copies of refs. Box Y 472.
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GARDENEF, understand cattle, sheep, 3 mile, gentleman resident; single, strong, active. All particulars to Dowdall, The Grange, Ballysteggan, Co. Kildare.
HSKEEPER to take charge in owner's absence; small country residence; good wages. Apply Ring, Poultry Farm, Aughrim.
HOUSEKEEPER Wtd., capable, elderly Protestant; all modern conveniences; small family; good wages. Box Z 12332, Housekeeper.
HOTEL or Restaurant Managress seeks post; 20 years' experience; excellent testimonials; thorough exp. bar, stores, linen, and manageress in first-class city hotel. Box F 512.
HOUSEKEEPER, Catholic, middle-aged, required for one person; wages £40 per annum; state age, experience, etc. Box Z 12323.
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